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Irma, Alberta, Friday, May 1st, 1936.

Minutes of Meeting Buffalo Coulee Municipal Council

Council meeting was held in Saltaux school with Crs. Hetherington, Pheasey, Ramsay, Hills, Dew and Currey present, Reeve Pheasey presiding.

Minutes of meeting of March 28th were read and adopted as amended on motion of Cr. Dew.

Monthly statement for March was read and signed by Reeve.

Hospital notices for the month read. Discussion re Seed grain. Cr. Hills carried that the M.D. borrow money as per Seed Grain Bylaw and pay individual vendors of seed grain, and to be reimbursed by the Dept. of Agriculture.

Cr. Currey carried that this M. D. do not accept responsibility for relief for Albert Father, and Cr. Ramsay carried that Thos. Welch is not a responsibility of this M.D.

Secretary was instructed to write Dept. re Norman Miles account.

Miss Alberta Otterson was present and applied for relief. Cr. Ramsay carried that emergency relief of \$5 be given and that Cr. Currey and the reeve be a committee to deal with the case.

Relief was authorized for April. A circular letter from M. D. 278 including a resolution re the Canadian Wheat Board was read. Cr. Dew carried that resolution be adopted and copy sent to Dept. of Agriculture at Ottawa.

It was proposed that our Bylaw No. 7, Mun. Doctor Bylaw, be amended by striking out Sec. 145 where it occurs therein and substituting Sec. 160 instead. The Bylaw No. 7 as amended was read, when Cr. Hills carried that it pass its first reading; it passed second reading on motion of Cr. Ramsay.

Mr. Edward Praff was present and wished to purchase the N. ½ 28-49-9

on the 3 year plan. The Reeve carried that no action be taken until further references are furnished.

Mr. Chris. Gadek offered to purchase the N.W. 4-49-8-4 on the option plan. The Reeve carried that offer be accepted, subject to approval by the minister.

Secretary asked permission to have 2000 cheques printed as sample. Cr. Dew carried that request be granted.

Mr. Hills carried that the following cheques be cancelled: Cheque No. 221 for 17.42 issued to Mr. G. Gadek and to you in both vacuum tanks, dated April 14th, 1935.

A letter from Bell Telephone Co. requesting a new Catalogue to Cr. Hills was read.

A letter was read hospital asking for arrears of requisitions.

Cr. Currey carried that an application to pay \$2500 over before end of May.

Mr. W. N. Green, Cr. Hills, and offered to pay a lot better. I'll get curity on 8 horses if take our beef go out first.

Cr. Ramsay carried to cut out what was approved.

A letter was read from Cr. guardian re Kaminski estate.

Cr. Currey carried that balance of poison on hand from 1935 be sold at 35c per tin.

Letters re consolidation agreements were read from E. C. Stewart and R. W. Shupe. Cr. Dew carried that secretary write all those in arrears on agreements that payment must be made by 2nd Saturday in June or a-

United Church Notes

The Irma Church was filled to capacity for the Oddfellows' service last Sunday afternoon, extra chairs having to be brought up from the basement. Most of those present were members of the order, including the Rebekahs. There were several visitors from Wainwright and Haristy, and the Irma community was well represented. The service of praise was hearty and inspiring, and the choir rendered an anthem with telling effect. The subject of the sermon was "The Art of Living Together" based on the text "Who is my neighbor?"

The C.G.I.T. afternoon tea and sale prongs, held in the office of the garage on Saturday afternoon, proceeded merrily the funds of Mr. and Mrs. J. Neal increased as the afternoon went on.

"But didn't get hole affair was man named Ferche decorations

"We got big most pleasing.

drilled dollar."

town to mass, the Ladies' Aid see, I got "Mother's Day" tea

prison afternoons, May 10, I gave here as travel.

"Boys" for the first service

service next Sunday, May 3rd—

Shenandoah 11 a.m., Roseberry at 3 p.m., Irma at 7:30 p.m.

Friends from the Crescent Hill and Roseberry communities are specially invited to be present at the afternoon service, so that it may be decided at which point it will be best to hold services in the future. The pastor is desirous of arranging the preaching points so as to meet the convenience of the whole community as far as possible, and will welcome advice and guidance from all concerned.

The Trail Ranger group has definitely fixed Saturday, May 30th, as the date for their outdoor sports and social event. Three committees have been appointed. Arrangements, led by Clarence Carter; Sports, led by Bob Simmerman; Refreshment, led by Art Knudson. Plans are already being worked out and the boys expect to make this a real attraction. Book the date and get ready for a good time with the boys.

Heard on the street: "That man wants me to lend him some money. Do you know anything about him?"

"I know him as well as I know you. Don't lend him a cent, old man."

Agreement will lapse.

J. W. Ambler made application for a lease for 3 years on the W. ½ 6-49-9-4. Cr. Dew carried that land be leased for 3 years for the current taxes, payable in advance each year.

Mr. Morris Cooper was present and spoke for the S.W. 30-48-7-4 on the option plan. Cr. Dew carried that agreement be given subject to approval of Minister and current taxes to be paid each year in advance.

Application for old age pension by J. F. Addison was presented. Cr. Dew carried that Cr. Hills and the reeve be a committee to interview Mr. Addison. Secretary was instructed to write pensions board re reimbursement for monies paid in pensions where collectable.

Accounts presented by Dr. Knapp were considered. Certain of the list totalling \$47,450 were disallowed, the council not accepting responsibility and Cr. Dew carried that Dr. Knapp be paid \$500 as full payment of the balance of accounts submitted.

Applications from the following for seed grain were approved: Thos. Johnstone, A. Baldwin, A. Tyler, D. McGregor, Art. Larson, Wm. Cleland, P. Richardson, B. Brady and E. Schreeder.

Cr. Ramsay carried that Cr. Hills interview Mannville druggist re intelligent bills.

Secretary was instructed to write the Dept. that council have decided to bring Mrs. Z. Ambler back to the M.D. and to request information as to procedure. Also to order a \$1.00 garden seed collection from Eaton's for each family on relief that requires or has requested same.

Accounts were passed for payment on motion of Cr. Dew.

NOTES OF INTEREST OF BUSY KINSELLA

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olsenberg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Arkenstall Sunday.

Mr. Claud Bishop and Mrs. Haworth of Vermilion were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Neal.

E. Jewell spent Sunday at the home of his parents south of town. Mrs. Lee came home from the hospital on Sunday and is slowly improving in health.

Mr. Seth Witton was a visitor to the family of the first of the week.

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Women's Institute Meeting

The next meeting of the Irma W. I. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. C. McLean on Thursday, May 7th, at 2:30 p.m. Will all members please make every effort to attend. Report of constituency convention held in Edmonton will be given by our delegate.

The ladies of the Albert district have been invited to join at this meeting. Roll call to be answered by an exchange of palm slips or garden seeds. Hostesses: Mrs. W. Stewart and Mrs. C. Wilbraham. Mrs. C. Wilbraham, Cec'y.

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GEMS

God placed his seal of sorrow on my heart;

The seal was set with gems that shone apart.

May I, thru all my sorrowed anguish-ed hours

Reveal the gem-set petals of life's flowers!

Far in the deep, dark caverns of despair

Were crushed the elements that made them fair.

These precious stones of concentrated light

Were not revealed unless I sought aright.

May I remain true as the needed poles

To guide some other wandering, needy souls.

—Nancy O. Parke.

A SPRING IDYL

There's a catbird shrilling harshly, And a squirrel chattering back, And a peckerwood is pounding On his everlasting tack.

The air is sweet as honey With a mild yellow of taste, And green is spotting o'er The gray and wintry waste.

There's a bug or two a-buzzing And a worm sticks up his head; And the woods just smell of living That yesterday were dead.

In the field the work is waiting And the buildings need repair; But the creek and woods are calling And the Springtime's in the air.

In the shed there's rods and tackle And a spade to dig the bait; So I guess I'll go a-fishing

And let the farm chores wait.

—Ralph E. Congdon, Irma.

SPORTS

The basketball series between the Tulsa girls and the Grads, is by far the best radio presentation ever heard in these parts. The announced appeared fair in his treatment of the visitors. And as thousands saw the game through his eyes, it means a lot to have the unbiased facts. When a basket was scored Bert Cairns did not sneeze his head off like Toronto boy on the hockey games. He talked clearly, while even the most exciting scenes were before him.

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While the Grads won the fourth and final game on Monday night, and thereby retained the Underwood trophy, and gained the North American championship, many hundred fans had a near nervous breakdown in watching or hearing the two last games. The system of overhead passing by those tall girls, reminded one of the elevated railways in Chicago or New York, with no interference from the street traffic below.

Those who have lived in England follow the news of football closely. The efforts made by broadcasters to give the results of the games, indicates the great interest taken in this sport, by Canadians of English origin.

The bumping of the famous Anna Villa team into the second class group is the big news of the week.

In the middle of the season the directors of the club spent \$250,000 in an effort to bolster the team with classy players.

After holding a place in the First Division since 1888, this famous team is forced to play next year with the boys in the back alley.

At the first of the week Cleveland took the lead in the American League by winning a 16-inning contest with St. Louis Browns. Night was coming on when the marathon game ended in a successful last play.

Bob Pirie of Toronto won the Beaty Trophy, for the "Outstanding swimmer" of Canada. By hanging up five new records, he established himself securely in first position. Mary McConkey of Edmonton was one of those considered for this great honor.

Murray Patcock, of hockey fame, is now a star performer in boxing. His first punch in a New York amateur bout was enough to knock his opponent. He now goes into the finals of the heavyweight.

"Your son is backward in geography," remarked a local school teacher to a father here.

"That doesn't matter," he replied. "We haven't money enough to travel very far with the old bus now anyway."

For Job Printing see E. W. Carter

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The Century Of Science

Research work now being carried on in the laboratories of the world devoted to industrial progress and advancement of scientific knowledge is unlocking vast reservoirs of hitherto hidden facts and data to such an extent that their practical application to man's needs and welfare is bound to profoundly change habits and modes of life and work in the future.

Old and well accepted theories in the realms of astronomy, chemistry, physics, medical science, biology and other fields of science are being shattered almost daily as a result of the work which is being carried on by silent, be-spectacled men and women in these research workshops and so rapidly are new discoveries being made and converted to the use of mankind that those who predict that the present century will go down in history as an era of scientific achievement are speaking with undisputed authority.

In fact, the achievements of the first third of the present century are sufficient in themselves to substantiate the claim for such an assertion even if, for some unknown and unpredictable reason, the work in this field were to be brought to an abrupt halt now.

One does not have to search far to find reasons for this remarkable advance into the sphere of the hitherto unknown and to explain why so much that has remained hidden for centuries is now being revealed in so great abundance.

One of the reasons is the large sums of money which have been made available for the prosecution of such work by wealthy philanthropists. Another is the discovery by commercial organizations that it pays them to devote a percentage of their earnings to the conduct of research work to assist them in unearthing ways and means of improving their products and of reducing the costs of production to enable them to achieve a paramount place in their field or to achieve it. Another is the now well-known fact that almost every new discovery, or the search for it, opens the door for another one and often enough paves the way for still more. Thus, the work is not only progressive but cumulative and in more than mathematical ratio, something like rolling up a snowball.

Still another reason is the fact that so frequently, a discovery in one field of endeavor results in the perfection of new equipment which makes it possible to delve deeper into the mysteries of some other scientific realm—or some other school of activity.

And there do not exhaust the reasons. There are others referred to recently by Mrs. O. Lazarus. Writing in a recent issue of the Christian Science Monitor an article dealing with developments in the arena of natural science this author said:

"Natural science arose partly out of man's desire to conquer nature and partly from his insatiable curiosity. From the earliest times man had never been content to live by bread alone. It had that within it which impelled it to seek out the mysteries of the world around. It is this curiosity which has forced men to make instruments which have enabled him to sweep the recesses of the starry heavens; to delve among the rocks in order to read from them the history of the earth and those who have lived on it in ages past. In his eagerness he has even penetrated into the heart of matter and seen it dissolve into radiation."

The same writer sheds an interesting sidelight on the effect such work has on the minds of those who make new discoveries, when she says: "Every time he (the research worker) has forced open the locked doors in the Palace of Knowledge, he has become humbler, less certain of his at-one-time unshakable faith in the 'reality' of those things which his hands could touch and his eyes see."

It is unfortunate that in Canada sufficient recompense is not always given to the men and women who are devoting a lifetime to unlocking the mysteries of science for the benefit of the country and her people; at least, that is too often the case with those who are prosecuting their work under government aegis. As a result, more adequate remuneration sometimes proves too tempting and they are lured away south of the international boundary to the great loss of this country.

When the benefits which accrue to the country as a result of the development of a rust resistant wheat—to quote an illustration—are weighed in the balance against the remuneration these trained experts receive it is not surprising if better offers from elsewhere for their services are sometimes accepted.

Talked Through His Hat

New York Man Had Radio-Equipped Silk Topper

An announcer wearing an "electrified Easter bonnet," in the form of a radio-equipped silk hat, promenaded with the Easter Sunday strollers in New York, describing the fashions and eavesdropping on conversations unknown to those on the sidewalks. The stunt provided a test of a new portable microwave "station." The range of the silk-hat broadcaster is about a quarter of a mile.

The human hair grows at an average rate of five inches a year in a temperate climate.

Enjoys Life At Goldfields

Well-Worth Trying Says Wife Of Resident Doctor

Completing her first season in one of the north's new mining camps, Mrs. E. N. Dunn, a bride of one year, says there is nothing like joy-riding in a dog sleigh.

The young woman, wife of Dr. E. N. Dunn, resident doctor at Goldfields, Sask., accompanied her husband to the Lake Athabasca mining field last fall.

During a brief stopover at Edmonton after a long airplane flight from the northern mining town, she said, "I enjoy the life very much. It's all very novel, and it's well worth trying."

Goldsfields has a pleasant social life, she added. About 30 women and 300 men comprise the camp. Bridge, dancing and dog sleigh riding are in great favor. In addition she often travels with her husband.

Returns Show Increase

Returns for the 1935 Christmas seal campaign to raise funds to fight tuberculosis were encouraging and final receipts were expected to show a 10 per cent increase over 1934, the Canadian Tuberculosis Association announced. The association will hold its annual meeting at Vancouver, June 22, 23, 24.

Soviet workers are boring an oil well on the sea bottom in the vicinity of Baku.

Going In For Ice Cream

London Is Preparing For Big Sale This Summer

Warm weather ice cream fashions are being determined at the Ice Cream and Dairy exhibition at the Crystal Palace, the London News Chronicle remarks:

"This summer, it seems, we shall consume at least 50,000,000 gallons of ice cream, so that the rehearsal now in progress is thoroughly justified.

"It will be bought from penny-in-the-slot machines, in paper bags, in tubes of chocolate and in new wafer wafers, which make it look as if you get more for your penny than you actually do.

"And it will be better ice cream. The milk marketing board has arranged for ice cream manufacturers to buy milk at bulk wholesale prices. Milk powder from abroad has been widely used so far.

"The immense engineering industry has grown in recent years to meet the needs of the big milk distribution combines should give those now engaged in the milk prices inquiry some idea of where the money goes."

Richly Clad Mummy Found

Is Believed To Be Daughter Of Great Pharaoh Cheops

The sumptuously-clad mummy of a princess of the Fourth Dynasty (3733-3566 B.C.), believed to be the daughter of the great Pharaoh Cheops, who built the second Pyramid, has been discovered, by Egyptian archaeologists.

The mummy lay in a limestone sarcophagus in an undisturbed tomb whose location was not revealed in the announcement of the find. Dressed in bridal raiment, the princess wore a golden diadem, two necklaces of golden beads, anklets and sandals.

A gold-plated copper belt circled her waist and the fingers of her left hand were encased in gold as well, it was said.

Prof. Selim Hassan of Cairo University, directed the excavations which resulted in the discovery. He said the tomb apparently had never been pillaged by marauders, like most monuments of ancient Egypt.

Welsh Discovered America

Landed 300 Years Before Columbus Made His Appearance

The legend of the white Indian, and the claim that America was discovered by a Welshman, were revived at Cardiff, Wales, recently during a Welsh book festival, when books relating to the play part by Wales in world history were exhibited.

Legend has it that the American continent was discovered by Prince Madoc in the twelfth century, 300 years before Columbus. Madoc set sail from North Wales across the Atlantic with a fleet of 13 ships and never returned.

It is believed that he landed near the mouth of the Mississippi and worked his way inland. His men made friends with the Indians, and ultimately formed themselves into a tribe of white Indians.

Broadcast In Eskimo

Bishop Of The Arctic Talked To Charge In The North

A bishop's voice rang through the air for thousands of miles on a recent Saturday to carry a greeting in Eskimo to slant-eyed friends who sat before radio sets from the sub-Arctic fringe to Oache Peninsula.

Rt. Rev. A. L. Fleming, Bishop of the Arctic, whose Diocese extends across the great expanse of winter's twilight land, spoke in English and Eskimo to his friends and charges in the north, broadcasting from Ottawa on the Canadian Radio Commission's Northern Mission program.

Likes Exploring Job

Ellsworth Hopes To Do More Of It In Antarctic

Lincoln Ellsworth, who recently completed an air journey across the Antarctic continent, said he would like to explore the Australian desert by camel. He had no definite plans, however, for the venture.

Ellsworth said in an interview there was a 100-year job of exploring still to be done in the Antarctic and he expected to do some of it.

The explorer landed in Los Angeles in March after an absence of almost a year.

John D. Rockefeller says that the first money he ever earned was made by raising turkeys when he was seven years old. His mother gave him curds from the milk to feed

Do You Ever Wonder

Whether the "Pain" Remedy You Use is SAFE?

Ask Your Doctor and Find Out

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New Electric Trains

One Of Longest Electric Tracks Will Be Completed Next Summer

Rapid progress with the electrification of the Southern Railway's main line to Portsmouth harbor makes it likely that the whole scheme, costing nearly \$15,000,000, will be completed by July, 1937.

Some 95 route miles, corresponding to 242 single track miles, are to be converted, and when finished the 74 miles from London to Portsmouth will be one of the longest electric tracks in Britain.

The present longest stretch is the London to Eastbourne, Hastings and Ore section opened last July.

Forty-eight new four-coach motor units, 19 of which will be provided with kitchen-cars, are among the new rolling stock being constructed.

Tourists Will See Things

Parry Sound, Ontario, To Have Totem Pole Traffic Light

The eyes of a moose, alternately blinking red and green from atop a mighty totem pole, will help direct tourist traffic through Parry Sound, Ontario, this year. Plans for the totem pole traffic light were explained to the Ontario Good Roads convention by J. M. Daly, Indian agent from Parry Sound. The pole will be a vast affair, facing the highway, and the images carved on it, from top to bottom, will include the moose, a bear, a deer, two geese, duck, an early Canadian voyageur in a canoe, a tepee, a school house, and a church. The eyes of the moose, co-ordinated with traffic signals, will be the only animated portion.

There are approximately a half million different sorts of living creatures on the earth. About three-fourths of this number are insects.

European red ants attack other species of ants and carry off the workers as slaves.

Trying Old Experiment

New Jersey Doctor To Use Surgical Grafting Principle

Sixteen-year-old John Seeley, of Nutley, New Jersey, rested to-day on application of a 65-year-old surgical grafting principle.

A Newark orthopedic surgeon, starting with an operation at Beth Israel Hospital, expects to apply the discovery of an Italian physician, Vannetti, about 1870, using muscle grafts to connect artificial ligaments.

The surgeon, who has been engaged by the crippled children's committee of the Nutley Elks Lodge, as he described the operation, a flap of the patient's skin is drawn into a tube and inserted under the muscle. This operation will be performed twice on each of the stumps of Seeley's arms.

When the tissue has healed, he said, cineplastic arms would be attached to the flaps. The artificial arms and fingers then would be operated with the flexing of the muscles.

Effect Of Sound Invented

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Ships Without Funnels

Prediction Made That Smoke Will Be Discharged Into Sea

Funnelless ocean liners in the near future was a prediction made by John Johnson, chief engineer of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., addressing the Institution of Mechanical Engineers at London, England, recently.

Speaking on the future of steam propulsion, Mr. Johnson said that smoke and gases from the furnaces would be used until they were almost cold, the heat extracted from them being put to use for work.

The gasses would then be washed with sea water, and, when clean, they would be discharged into the sea just above the water level.

Hills Only Worry

The doctors had great difficulty in getting a negro soldier, who had been badly wounded by shell-fire, to take an anaesthetic. He seemed worried about something, and urged them to get to work without an anaesthetic, as he wanted to watch them.

At last they got him to take the chloroform, and all went well until the operation was over.

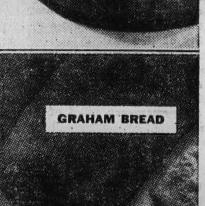
The stitching was just being begun when he jerked himself back to consciousness and said: "Doctor, don't make a mistake. Don't stitch me with white thread."

Animal Day In China

In observance of Animal Day in China recently not an animal was killed in the country for 24 hours. All slaughter houses remained open but one head of live stock was taken in and cities refused to do away with strays in pounds. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals gave open-air dramatic and oratorical messages on kindness to dumb beasts.

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SYNOPSIS

The story opens with Link Fleming addressing a meeting of Boone County cattlemen, called together with the object of forming an irrigation company.

The meeting terminates but Buzz Hamilton and his sister, Helen, Link and Kilgo stay behind and Helen asks Fleming questions about his irrigation plan. This angers Buzz, who accuses Fleming of trying to interfere with the cattlemen he represents in his "spread". Buzz shouts at Fleming in an uncontrollable fit of anger, but Buster Townsend, Link's foreman, is hit in the stomach and Fleming is uninjured. Buzz is arrested and sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

Helen and Fleming form a partnership to provide irrigation for their properties.

Fleming goes home and studies the plans drawn by Torney to learn whether they could be adapted to a smaller schema suitable for his and Helen's land, and is satisfied he could do so. Feeling cold, he lights the fire and there is an explosion that wrecks the house, burns it and the plans and renders Link unconscious. He is rescued from the blaze by an employee.

Helen and Link ride to Rawhide for supplies and to obtain funds to carry out the dam project. They meet Roper, who greets Helen and offers to shop with her. Link goes to the Sheriff, who tells him Buzz Hamilton has been paroled, and would arrive on the incoming stage, but that he thinks Link has made a mistake in getting Buzz released.

Buzz Hamilton arrives back in Rawhide, intent on robbing the bank, and are in the bank getting a loan for payment of wages for work on the dam. Roper Kilgo and Jackpot Mell meet him, and he goes into the saloon with them. From time to time signs and Latin come from the bank. Buzz has had several drinks. Roper has distorted the facts concerning the dam proposal to Buzz, making it appear that Link was trying to rob the bank.

Buzz, inebriated, is led to an anger, tries to throttle Fleming, but is thrown to the floor. Then Helen appears and tells Fleming she has been robbed of the \$500 they had obtained from the bank.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER XI.—Continued

"Link," she added on sudden impulse, "do you think this dam is going to bankrupt us?"

Something in her worried tone made Fleming eager to go to any extreme to safeguard Helen and her property. "We'll come through," he said with confidence, he did not quite feel. "We still have our steers to sell, and once we get cash for 'em

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the far distant peaks of the mountain range. But Fleming, with a look of cheerful confidence, strode to the ranch house stoop, the men following sullenly at his heels. On this sight eminence he turned to address them:

"Orliss and Kevin told me how you feel, and I don't blame you, boys. But don't think I'm not in good faith about this wage proposition. I went—"

"To hell with good faith!" broke in Gyp Vaile. "Give us hard cash!"

Plainly he was foremost in stirring up dissension. Buster Townsend's fists doubled and he seemed about to challenge Gyp until with a slight shake of the head Link warned him. "What the heck're you talkin' about? You don't work on this dam any more. I fired you this mornin' for a lazy, good-for-nothin' loafer!"

The man's powerful chest heaved. "I'm owed wages!" he roared. "An' by gosh, I mean to get my rights!"

"You're owed a good slam in the nose," Gyp retorted belligerently. "Yuh tried to bust a suite gate on us, yuh hound! Lettin' it drop 20 feet. I've a good mind to—"

"Hold on, boys!" It was news that Vaile had been discharged, that he had attempted sabotage. But Fleming disregarded this point, for the moment. "I started to say," he proceeded calmly, "that Miss Hamilton and I went to Rawhide this afternoon to get your payroll."

"But didn't get it, eh?" guessed a man named Ferguson.

"We got it, all right—eight hundred dollars. But I had to stay in town to meet Buzz Hamilton. You see, I got Buzz paroled to me from prison as a surprise for his sister. I gave her the money and she started here as fast as her horse could travel.

"Boys," he said soberly, "I'm sorry. Helen—Miss Hamilton—got held up. Some dirty skunk wearin' a bandana mask, stepped out of the trees at Iron Spring, and stopped her at the point of a gun. She put up a game fight but of course he was stronger. He grabbed her eight hundred and got away!"

"Hold up?"
"She got robbed?"

"Then our money's gone!" These and similar exclamations broke from the crowd of irrigation dam workers. Instantly Link perceived that by phrasing it as though it were his own eight hundred dollars, he had scored a point.

"Yes, she got roman and pretty much bruised up, fightin' for your rights. Sheriff Stephen is trainin' the cuss right now, and there's a darned good chance of nabbin' him quick. Hell sure get the limit for holdin' up a woman an' takin' money away by the sweat of your brow!"

An inspiration prompted him to stride down to Sam Walters. "Sam, I'll pay every cent I owe you if you give me time. Nobody ever said Link Fleming went back on his word. On account of that robbery I'm askin' you to trust me awhile longer."

Plainly taken back by this daring candor, Sam gnawed reflectively at a mustache end. "Yuh liable to go busted?"
"Whoever spread that story lied." The workman hesitated, conscious of all eyes on him. Then he saw Fleming's hand outstretched, and he grasped it. "Pay me up, Link, soon's you can. I'll wait."

His pulse sped in triumph. Without turning from the spot, he addressed Chunky Hokanson. "Are you willing to trust me after a piece of hard luck I couldn't help?"

The other's eyes wavered. "Shore, Link." And he turned away. But Gyp Vaile with Ferguson at his side interceded before Fleming could speak to the next man. "Yuh can pull that on those guys," Gyp sneered roughly, "but yuh can't soft soap me. I want my money an' I want it now!"

Townsend shouldered his way close, fearing trouble. "Buster," demanded the Star Loop owner insistently, "are you sure about this homie trying to wreck that sluice gate?"

"Plumb shore!" came the prompt answer. "Yuh dirty low-down Gyp!"

"We're entitled to it, ain't we boys?" followed a burly, dark-browed fellow, addressing the crowd. This man Link knew for Gyp Vaile, ex-convict and local bully. A great mass of crinkly black hair escaped Vaile's misshapen sombrero, spewing out in the carefree mode of a half-breed Indian. Gyp's squinting eyes were hard and shifty, and strapped over his overall was a pair of valentines.

Murmers of assent greeted Vaile, and the growls of other men made a rumbling sound like thunder across

the camp.

Most electric fishes have rather weak batteries to keep off their enemies, but the torpedo fish and the electric eel are powerfully destructive.

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Man Withdrawn Charge Against Son Of His Barber

Herman Gerofsky, a New York factory owner, does not believe in taking risks. After he had had Joseph Sansone arrested on a charge of theft from the factory he decided, when the case came into court, not to proceed with the charge. The magistrate asked him to explain.

"Well," said Mr. Gerofsky, "Joseph's father is my barber. Twice a week I sit in his chair and my throat is at his mercy. Nevertheless the magistrate decided to hold Joseph on a charge of theft.

Sidestepping, Link lashed out with one hard fist. Crack! It caught Vaile full on the ear and sent him reeling sideways, then slamming heavily to earth. His legs and arms twitched with the jerk of unstrung nerves, and the never-do-well lay panting while he sputtered vengeful oaths, momentarily too groggy to rise.

"Go back to work, boys," Link examined his skinned knuckles. "Gyp, I'll pay off every man here first, before I hand you a red cent. If you want 'ee sue, go ahead but keep away from me. Savvy that?"

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Interesting Mosaic Frieze

Shows How Cows Were Milked In Olden Times

Among the many interesting relics which have been unearthed during the excavations of Ur of the Chaldees, the birthplace of Abraham, is a mosaic frieze showing a procession of cows. On one side of a reed-built byre, from the door of which two calves are seen issuing, men seated on low stools are milking cows. The men sit under the cow's tail, milking the animal from behind. The calves, duly muzzled, are roped to the cow's headstall so as to encourage her to give milk. On the other side of the byre, two men clean shaven and wearing fleece petticoats, the official dress of priests, are pouring milk through a strainer into a vessel set on the ground, while two others are collecting the strained liquid into great stone jars.

This frieze is said by experts to represent a scene at a farm attached to a temple, a farm a dining about \$100 C.B. employing dairy methods which might have been employed with profit in the intervening centuries.

Another find of interest to students of agriculture was a small statue representing the Goddess Bau seated on a throne supported by geese. Bau was the patroness of the poultry farm, and her figure, square and thick-set, in a flounced and pleated dress reaching to the ankles, has an appropriately domestic look.

Trusted Him For Fine

A man fined at Deal, England, had only \$1.50 in cash, and as this was insufficient for his fare home to Sydenham the magistrate advanced him the money for the fare and gave him a week to pay the fine. The man was A. Lake, aged 24.

Considerable improvement has been effected in Canada in the preparation of fleece wool since 1913 when public attention was first directed to the means of quality improvement and the manner of preparation for market. At present all commercial wool in Canada is sold-in the grease, and the fleeces rolled and tied intact as they are shorn.

Shows Improvement

"Prisoner, you are found 'not guilty' and are discharged."

"But I've been kept in custody for a fortnight." Does that entitle me to commit a small crime free of charge?"

Little Helps For This Week

Call unto me and I will answer thee, and show thee great and mighty things which thou knowest not. Jer. 33:33.

No voice of prayer to Thee can rise,
But swift as light Thy love repiles;
Not always what we ask; indeed,
But O most kind, just what we need.

If you have any trial that seems intolerable, pray that it may be relieved or changed. There is no harm in that. We may pray for anything not wrong in itself with perfect freedom, if we do not pray selfishly. One disabled from duty by sickness may pray for health that he may do his work, or if we have a besetting sin we may pray to be delivered from it in order to serve God and man, and not be the one to mislead and annoy. But the answer to the prayer may be, as it was to Paul, not the removal of the thorn but a growing insight into its meaning and value. The voice of God in our soul may show us, as we look up to Him, that his strength is enough to enable us to bear it.

Getting Something Done

Canada's Sea Tonnage

Is Now Only One Third Of Fifty Years Ago

Canada's tonnage in seagoing vessels was only one-third of what it was 50 years ago, Fred Bridges, port warden at Sorel, Que., told the Manitoba branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada. Total tonnage of seagoing and inland water vessels dropped from three per cent of the world total in 1886 to 1½ per cent in 1933. In comparison, Japan's tonnage has increased from one-half per cent 50 years ago to six per cent. Change from sail to steam, he believed, was the cause of tonnage decline in Canada.

Gold in New Guinea

Will Provide Mining For At Least Twenty Years

New Guinea has sufficient gold to provide mining for 20 years, according to Sir George Pearce, Australian Minister in Control of Territories, in a report to the Commonwealth Prime Minister on his return to Canada after a visit to Papua and New Guinea. "The fields will be one of our principal producing centres for many years," he said.

Outlook Is Better

The outlook for Saskatchewan farmers for the year 1938 is one of optimism. Good horses are scarce and prices are likely to be high for several years. In the sheep industry prices of lambs and wool promise to be satisfactory. In the market for poultry products the outlook is indefinite but little change is anticipated.

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